

Parent Teacher Student Group Emily Gray Junior High

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PTSG Meeting Minutes

September 8, 2023, 3:30 p.m. In-person

Attendance:

Lindsey Kowalski - President
Stephanie Burt - Vice President (and Spirit Wear) (via Google Meet)
Beth Egan - Principal
Andrew Kent - Dean of Students
Mrs. White - Student Council Advisor
Krista Lange/Provenzano - Co-Treasurer
Jennifer Bailey - Secretary
Patti Bredehoft - Parent (Via Google Meet)
Sara Stein - Parent
Teresa Moe - Parent
Jessi Taylor - Parent
Jenny Fletcher - Parent
Michelle Bullock - Parent

3:40p Meeting Called to Order

- 1. Previous Meeting Minutes: Review and approval of the previous meeting notes was delayed until PTSG website is repaired.
- 2. Election of the Board for 2023/2024 School Year: The board election results were reviewed. Thirty-nine individuals voted via a *Google* poll. The following individuals were elected to the board for the 2023-2024 school year for the Emily Gray Junior High Parent Teacher Student Group, effective as of September 8, 2023:

Co-Presidents: Lindsey Kowalski and Jessi Taylor

Vice President: Stephanie Burt

Treasurer: Sara Stein

Secretary: Jennifer Bailey

Community Liaison: Patti Bredehoft

- 3. Reports: The following reports were made by officers and standing committees:
 - a. **Treasurer**: Outgoing Treasurer Krista reviewed the entirety of the status of the previous budget and presented a proposed budget for discussion. Pending grants from the previous school year were updated. With eight changes to the stipends section, the 2023-2024 school year was approved.
 - b. Principal: Principal Egan provided the following update:
 - i. Interim grading day is fast approaching with parent teacher conferences scheduled for September $21^{\rm st}$
 - ii. Student Advisory Council members are needed; the first meeting will be next week.
 - iii. The afterschool clubs are going well. The newest club is for Dungeons & Dragons and is popular with the students.
 - c. Student Council: Mrs. White provided the following update:
 - i. The Snack Shack is in operation and business is going well.
 - ii. The first school dance will be on November 17th from 3:30-5:30p. The Student Counsel requests PTSG assistance with the following two items:
 - 1. Assist with messaging regarding a new policy of no cash for the dance entrance fee. All entrance fees need to be purchased via My School Bucks; and
 - 2. Assist with coordinating parent donations of pizzas for sale during the dance.
 - d. Spirit Wear: Stephanie advised that the new socks would be picked up soon, along with other items of spirit wear that was ordered.
- 4. Next Meetings: The next meetings were set as follows:
 - a. October 5, 2023 at 3:30 p.m. at Emily Gray Junior High School
 - b. November 2, 2023 at 3:30 p.m. at Emily Gray Junior High School
 - c. December 21, 2023 at 3:30 p.m. at Emily Gray Junior High School (this will be a working meeting to organize the Holiday Giving Tree items.)

Meeting adjourned at 5:04p.

The next meeting is scheduled for October 5, 2023, at 3:30p in the Emily Gray Junior High School office conference room.